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"I was taken ill in February, 1892, with headache and pain in my back," writes H. Gaddis, Esq., of 313 South J Street, Tacoma, Wash. "I called in a doctor and he came three times. He said I was bilious, but I kept getting worse, took a cough so that I could not sleep, only by being propped up in bed. My lungs hurt me, and I got so poor that I was just skin and bone. I thought I was going to die. I used two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it made me sound and well. It saved my life."

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RECEPTION TO THE BRIDE.

Cordial Welcome to Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Kendall, at Waco.

The following account of a reception to Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Kendall, nee Florence Rivers, is from a Waco, Tex., paper:

There were no cards issued, and yet more than two hundred paid their respects to the J. G. Kendall home on Tuesday afternoon, where the young son of the household, Mr. William Kendall, was spending a few days with his young Kentucky bride before making their final stop in Tyler. Beneath the environments of all that was beautiful in art and nature, there lay the consciousness that love was the keynote of it all. Love prompted the wooing and the winning of the sweet woman, without whose presence the affair would not have been, love prompted the nearest and dearest friends of the family to make all the preparations, and love prompted the hearty grasp of the hand and the sincerely expressed good wishes of the two hundred who laid their cards upon the salvers of petite Master Harold Gooch or Miss Mildred Smith, and passed into the parlor to greet the proud mother and husband and Mrs. William Kendall, the bride of only a few days. In this room there were also as assistant hostesses, Mrs. Hennie Harrison, Miss Margherita Williams, of Kentucky, Mrs. E. A. McKenny, Miss Hallie Harrison, Mrs. Emma Humphreys, Mrs. John C. West and Mrs. Ab. McLendon. Beyond was the vista of pretty girls, the group being Misses Lizzie Speight, Margaret Kendall, Lolabel House, Pauline Carrington, Georgia Jenkins and McKenny. In the refreshment room Mrs. Minnie King and Mrs. Homer Wells presided at the coffee and chocolate urns, while Misses Kendall, Battle, Arnold and Humphreys acted as dainty little waitresses to serve a three course lunch. These three rooms ran riot with trailing vines, stately palms and cut blossoms; indeed, their was no vantage spot but what held its evidence that an affair of more than passing notice was in progress. The entire afternoon was consumed thus pleasantly for those who called, and doubly so for Mrs. J. G. Kendall, and Mr. and Mrs. William Kendall, who were thus reminded that in their happiness their friends coveted a share and that this, the first marriage in the family, should receive so marked a recognition of approbation. The sweet, unaffected manner of the young bride won all hearts, and in her Texas home, Waco especially, she has already endeared herself to each and every one who met her on Tuesday afternoon.

Ohio's Marriage-License Law.

The young people of the state of Ohio are evidently going to be in need of sympathy before the year is ended. This present month a state law went into effect regulating the issuance of marriage licenses, and according to that inquisitorial and oppressive measure a young man who applies for a li-

cence must be equipped with all kinds of information regarding himself, his bride, their respective antecedents and their family histories. He must tell his bride's mother's maiden name and be able to give accurate information all around as to birthplaces, places of residences, occupations, previous matrimonial relations and minor personal details.

Already the law has brought some young couples into trouble. The bridegroom, hurrying to the license office on the last day before the wedding, has found that he didn't know where the bride was born or what was her mother's maiden name, and the license clerk coldly has refused to sanction the marriage. Weddings have been postponed indefinitely and heart-strings twisted and strained to the breaking point. It is not easy to say where the trouble will end. It is only too evident, however, that when a young man has left an eloping bride somewhere in town to wait while he hurriedly gets the official permit to marry finds that his plans are all frustrated simply because he can't remember where his bride was born he is going to become an enemy to society.

After this one of the elements of an Ohio romance will consist in the excitement of the chase after hidden family statistics. Lovers will no longer steal kisses or interviews—they will steal family registers and exercise their ingenuity in an adventurous chase after information. It is going to be thrillingly dramatic and exciting—but it will be surprising if young Ohio does not raise a protest which will make the next state legislature tremble in its shoes when it hears the demand for the repeal of the law.—Chicago Record.

Thanking the Women.

The senate has passed a resolution tendering the thanks of congress to Miss Clara Barton and the Red Cross society for their services in behalf of humanity during the late war, and several similar organizations for the relief of the soldiers think they are entitled to the same distinction. The Red Cross society is not a monopoly, any organization for the relief of suffering being entitled to bear that name and to protection in foreign land under the Geneva convention. There were several independent branches of the Red Cross at work during the war, but Miss Barton is so well known over the world that her society comes to mind when the name is mentioned.

The next most prominent was the Woman's Relief Association of New York, of which Miss Helen Gould was the moving spirit. Bishop Potter was president of the National Relief Association. The Massachusetts Volunteer Aid Society had its headquarters in Boston, and there were societies in nearly every city and in many towns for the aid of sick and needy soldiers which did great good, and representatives in congress from their respective localities think they are entitled to just as much credit as Miss Barton.

Bills have also been introduced tendering the thanks of congress to several individual philanthropists and nurses, including Miss Gould, Miss Annie Wheeler, daughter of Gen. Wheeler; Miss Chanler, Miss Anna Boulogny and several others whose friends have interested themselves in their behalf. Miss Barton had the unusual distinction of being mentioned in the president's message.

In North Carolina.

The legislature of North Carolina is preparing a law to disfranchise the colored voters of that state, and the ingenuity of the democratic leaders is now being exercised to accomplish that purpose without interfering with the constitution of the United States. Several of them have been to Washington to confer with democratic leaders in congress, from whom they have received some valuable suggestions. Senator Caffery of Louisiana is the reputed author of a scheme which provides an educational test, but exempts from that test all voters whose "ancestors voted in any of the United States of the union prior to Jan. 1, 1867," when negro suffrage took effect. As no negroes voted prior to that date this exemption will enable the literate white men to vote and prohibit the illiterate negroes.

Joe Holden, who was shot by Newt Ruddle, near Wingo, Graves county, died from the injury.

MANILA LETTER.

A Hopkinsville Boy on the Other Side of the World.

A Continuation of the Letter Written From Honolulu Last Fall.

Manila Bay, Philippine Islands, Dec. 7th, '98.—EDITOR KENTUCKIAN: We left the port of Honolulu on 17th of Nov., we had a fine time during our four days there. Honolulu is strictly a religious city. All business houses close at 11 o'clock at night, and on Sunday. It was a sight to us to see the natives come to town early in the morning with their train of pack mules and ponies loaded with bananas, oranges, pine apples, grapes, coconuts and wood. Each man would have 12 or 15 mules and ponies, one tied behind the other, and he would walk in front and lead them. We left four men in Hospital at Honolulu two of the artillery boys, two of the cavalry. The Pennsylvania left Honolulu with the 51st Iowa boys on the 16th of Nov., and the New Port came in to port on the morning of Nov. 16 with Gen. Miller and Staff and part of 20th Kansas regiment.

It brought mail for us but it will not be opened till we get to Manila. Honolulu has a fine band of about 80 instruments. They came down to wharf and played about two hours for us. They played "Dixie" as we pulled out. There was a great crowd at the wharf to see us leave port.

We made a good impression on the people during our stay in Honolulu. The sea is quiet to night, but a few of the boys are sea sick again. They say we will make the trip to Manila in 16 days. Friday morning. Everything calm as can be, 12 or 15 boys still sick, we can't see a thing but water.

Our grub is getting pretty tough. Saturday—Everybody is having a big time playing games except the few who are sea sick. The sea has been calm all day. We expect to overtake the transport Penn about Monday as we are gaining about three knots an hour on her. I made a trade for three of us to get our meals from the cook of the ship from now until we get to Manila, and we expect to live high the balance of the trip. The rations of the "chute" are getting awful tough, the beef is not fit to eat.

Monday—Yesterday was a fine day and the water smoother, and the nights are fine. Moon shines as bright as day. We have not seen anything of the Penn so far. We are getting plenty to eat now and just as good as we could want, get coffee, tea or chocolate and desert like boarding at a hotel.

Wednesday—We passed over the meridian or international date line last night and so we gained a day, jumped from Monday to Wednesday, and some of the boys could not see how we could do that. The sea is not so smooth now.

Thursday 24th—The sea is rough and it looks like it is going to be worse, we are in sight of transport Penn and this is Thanksgiving day, we had a good dinner, had turkey and chicken and Lieut. Patton set up canned peaches to the Co., and of course I got my share. We passed the Penn to-night at 8 o'clock.

Sunday—This has been the roughest day during our voyage. It is impossible for a person to stand on his feet. Several waves washed over hurricane deck and several of the boys were scared, thinking the ship was going down, some put on life preservers, and some of the officers were about as badly scared as the boys. Two or three of the boys fell and hurt themselves, one boy fell and cut a gash in his head about four inches long, he is in the hospital now. Several times a lot of us were on deck and the ship would rock so that we would slide from one side to the other and it would be all we could do to keep from going overboard.

Monday—Last night was worse than ever, we could not sleep. Some of the officers got up and put on life preservers and went around calling the other officers telling them the ship was going to sink.

We passed Byrds Islands this evening, and there was a large volcano on one of them in active eruption.

ion, we ran in about three miles of it and could see the lava running down the side.

Thursday—The engine broke down last night and we were standing for about three hours before they got it fixed, and it broke again about 5 o'clock this a. m., and they have just started again. We could see plenty of sharks while the ship was standing still, some of them looked to be eight or ten feet long. We tied a beef bone to a rope and dropped it out at back end of ship, could see 15 or 20 at once. They would cut an inch rope like they would a fishing line.

Thursday, Dec. 1st—The sea is smooth and we have been making good time, it is a hard matter for us to keep up with the days of the week and month on board ship, as one day is just the same as the other with us. I haven't stood guard since I left Honolulu, I got my share before I got there, was on three days out of six. I have been on detached duty with the U. S. Commissary Sergt. and we sell all kinds of canned goods and ginger ale from 10 to 12 o'clock every day. The Commissary Sergt. will be attached to some regiment when we get to Manila, and if it should be ours I think I will stay with him, as this job beats walking a post in a military manner. Saturday—We signed pay roll to-day, we mustered yesterday. They say we will be paid off first thing after we get to Manila.

Sunday—Again we sighted the island of Legon this morning and we are now going through a straight between the Legon and Camigun islands, on the left.

Monday, Dec. 5.—We came in sight of a vessel this morning but could not tell what it was. We will be in sight of land now until we get to Manila.

This is a fine morning Dec. 6th and we expect to reach Manila by 2 o'clock. The sea is calm and everything quiet.

The chief steward found out some way that the cooks had been feeding some of us, and he says he is going to make it warm for them. They had one of them before the Captain of ship this a. m. but let him off, will have the other one up to-morrow. We are now in Manila bay and in sight of Manila and Cavite. We are now anchored about a mile out in the bay from the city. We will have to stay on board of ship for about a week until they get camp ground fixed for us. Manila has no locks so we will have to unload our lighters.

There are 12 or 15 transports here right around us and there must be 300 vessels. Dewey's fleet is at Cavite. There is an English man-of-war near us and also German and French vessels. Manila is a fine looking city from the bay. Two boys from the 14th regulars came to see us and they say that some of the outpost guards are killed nearly ever night around Manila.

They say we will have to go to fighting right away. Our captain lined us up this morning after they had talked with officers of 14th regulars and told us all they had learned about Manila. Natives came out to our ship with all kinds of fruits which was very cheap. The doctors on board made us a fine talk yesterday telling us how to do and what to eat to keep our health. They advised us not to eat fruit.

It is hot as can be here. The Pennsylvania got here easily this a. m. Dec. 7. The Newport got here with Gen. Miller and staff about noon. Dewey's flagship came over to Manila this morning. There have been lots of boys out to see us to-day. They are awful strict on them around the city. They shoot one every now and then for going to sleep while on his post. I am well, never felt better. Morris and Tandy are well.

LANNES H. HUGGINS.
Co. K, 1st Tenn., U. S. V. Manila P. I.

A move is on foot to consolidate the Zittel and Searcy pottery plants at Waco, near Richmond.

A man calling himself Robert Smith is in jail at Richmond for attempting to pass a forged check on two banks.

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QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

Pembroke Deposit Bank

(INCORPORATED.)
At the close of business Dec. 31, 1898, in Pembroke, Ky.,

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, less	\$28,311.39
Loans to Directors, (officers not included)	788.21
Overdrafts unsecured	3,394.10
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,339.00
Banking House and Lot	1,490.00
Mortgages	6,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	4,000.00
Specie	\$1,214.23
Currency	2,317.00
Other Items carried as Cash	\$89.43
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00
Total	\$67,641.11
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in, in cash	\$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	7,500.00
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	\$13,209.32
Due National Bank	1,490.00
Due State Banks and Bankers	2,339.00
Bills re-discounted	3,068.00
Fund to pay Taxes	3,068.00
Unpaid Dividends including 3%	1,000.00
per cent this day	1,312.50
Total	\$67,641.11

State of Kentucky, county of Christian ss.
Eustice A. Hall, Cashier, of Pembroke Deposit Bank, a Bank located and doing business in the town of Pembroke, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing Report is a true statement of the condition of the said Bank at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1898, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1898, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Eustice A. Hall, Cashier.
R. W. Crothers, Director.
J. W. Crothers, Director.
J. W. Crothers, Not. Pub., U. C. C. Ky.

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QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

Farmers and Merchants Bank

AT PEMBROKE, KY.,
at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1898.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, less	
Loans to Directors	\$14,892.38
Overdrafts unsecured	121.51
Due from National Banks	\$8,938.35
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,031.84
Specie	3,058.83
Currency	2,038.00
Exchanges for Clearings	813.60
Other items carried as Cash	39.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,241.00
Total	\$63,294.77

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$15,000.00
Undivided profits	547.43
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	31,230.74
Due National Banks	5.21
Bills re-discounted	16,511.99
Total	\$63,294.77

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF CHRISTIAN, ss.

T. D. Jameson, President of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, located and doing business on Main street, in the town of Pembroke, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1898, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of December, 1898, as the day on which such report shall be made.

T. D. JAMESON, President.
ISAAC GARROTT, Director.
R. T. CHILTON, Director.
J. R. PEARSON, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me T. D. Jameson, the 7th day of January, 1899. J. W. Cross, N.P.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

BANK OF LAFAYETTE,

at close of business on the 31st day of December, 1898.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, less	
Loans to Directors	\$10,419.80
Loans to Directors (officers not included)	1,026.67
Loans to Officers	550.00
Overdrafts unsecured	295.66
Due from National Banks	\$565.57
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,200.79
Due from Trust Companies	2,334.55
Banking House and Lot	1,500.00
Specie	\$336.73
Currency	2,831.00
Exchanges for Clearings	10.85
Total	\$23,571.62

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash, 50 per cent.	\$7,500.00
Undivided Profits	190.01
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	15,771.61
Bills re-discounted	200.00
Capital Stock not Paid	\$7,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Total	\$23,571.62

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF CHRISTIAN, ss.

R. J. Carothers, President of the Bank of Lafayette, a Bank located and doing business on Main street, in the town of Lafayette, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing Report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1898, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31st day of December, 1898, as the day on which such report shall be made.

R. J. CAROTHERS, President.
H. C. LOCKER, Director.
ED R. BOGARD, Director.
HENRY M. MASSIE, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by R. J. Carothers, President, 7th day of January, 1899.

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